

Table 4.2 Criminalizing Military Commanders

	Military Commanders	Sources	Accusations of crimes	Penalty received	Results
Emperor Wen	Wei Shang 魏尚/Governor Yunzhong 雲中守 (won the battle)	<i>Hanshu</i> : 50:2314	Miscounted enemy casualties they killed by six	Hard labor	Pardoned by the emperor later
Emperor Wu	Zhang Qian 張騫/ Marquis Bowang 博望侯	<i>Hanshu</i> : 6:176; <i>Hanshu</i> , 17:646	Delay Arrival 後期;exhibiting fearfulness and timidity 畏懦	Death Penalty	Redeemed
	Zhao Yiji 趙食其	<i>Hanshu</i> : 55:2492	Lost in the field 迷失道	Death penalty	Redeemed
	Gao Bushi 高不識Marquis Yiguan 宜冠侯	<i>Shiji</i> , 20:1039	Inflated number of enemy casualties 戰軍功增首不以實	Death Penalty	Redeemed
	Zhang Cheng 張成	<i>Hanshu</i> , 95:3862.	Exhibiting fearfulness and timidity 畏懦	Death Penalty	Executed
	Chi 齒/Marquis Shanzhou 山州侯	<i>Hanshu</i> , 95:3862.	Exhibiting fearfulness and timidity 畏懦	Death Penalty	Executed
	Li Guang 李廣	<i>Hanshu</i> , 54:2443	Defeat in battle	Death Penalty	Redeemed
		<i>Hanshu</i> , 54:2449.	Lost in the field 迷失道	Death penalty	Committed suicide
	Su Jian 蘇建/Marquise Pingling 平陵	<i>Hanshu</i> , 54:2459.	Defeat in battle 失軍	Death Penalty	Redeemed
	Gongsun Ao 公孫敖//Marquis Heji 合騎侯	<i>Hanshu</i> , 55:2491	Sustained many casualties 亡卒七千人	Death Penalty	Redeemed
		<i>Hanshu</i> , 55:2491	Arrival after the appointed time 期後, Exhibiting fearfulness and timidity 畏懦	Death Penalty	Redeemed
		<i>Hanshu</i> , 55:2491	Sustained many casualties 亡士多	Death Penalty	pretended to be dead
	Xun Zhi 荀彘/General Zuo 左將軍	<i>Hanshu</i> , 95:3865	Defeat in battle	Death Penalty	Executed
	Yang Pu 楊僕 / General Louchuan 樓船將軍	<i>Hanshu</i> , 17:655	Exhibiting fearfulness and timidity 畏懦	Death Penalty	Redeemed the death penalty, and became a wall builder
Emperor Zhao	Tian Guangming 田廣明/General Qilian 祁連將軍 (Won the battle)	<i>Hanshu</i> , 94:3786	Returned to the court before the appointed time 不至期還	Being prosecuted	Committed Suicide
Emperor Xuan	Tian Shun 田順 /General Tiger Teeth 虎牙將軍 (Won the battle)	<i>Hanshu</i> , 94:3786	returned before the appointed time and deceitfully inflated the reported booty 不至期, 詐增鹵獲	Being prosecuted	Committed suicide